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Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 19 as follows:

In addition, the seating and treadmill exercise device 14 can include a control panel 48 with an associated display for providing information relating to speed, elapsed time, calories, etc. to the person exercising. If treadmill use is to be controlled by payment or time (depending on airline preferences), the seating and treadmill exercise device and, most commonly, the control panel, may include means for securing payment for use of the treadmill, such as a slot for accepting bills and/or coins utilized to pay for usage of the treadmill or a card reader for accepting and reading a credit card, frequent flier card or the like that is utilized by the passenger to pay for use of the treadmill, and/or a timer or other type of alarm for limiting the time during which a passenger can utilize the treadmill. Moreover, the control panel can also permit input by the person exercising regarding the speed at which the motor drives the endless belt, the incline of the endless belt and the like. As such, the seating and treadmill exercise device 14 also includes a controller that operates in conjunction with the control panel to compute the various parameters and correspondingly drive the display(s). In addition, the controller is preferably adapted to provide control signals to the motor based upon input received via the control panel. In embodiments in which treadmill usage is controlled by payment and/or time, the controller also insures that payment has been received and/or enforces the time limits. For nonmotorized treadmill variants, the control panel may include means to adjust the frictional resistance of the treadmill bolt belt. The display(s) may show data, such as time or distance, and may optionally be used for entertainment or advertising purposes.